

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q96039

Koichi SHIMOKAWA

Appln. No.: 10/586,150

Group Art Unit: 1764

Confirmation No.: 5629

Examiner: GOLOBOY, JAMES C.

Filed: October 18, 2006

For: LUBRICANT FOR MAGNETIC DISKS, METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE
LUBRICANT USED IN THE MAGNETIC DISKS, AND METHOD FOR
MANUFACTURING THE SAME

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on

December 1, 2010:

REMARKS

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) was given to Applicant's
representatives following the Interview.

During the interview, the following was discussed:

1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: None
2. Identification of claims discussed: All pending claims
3. Identification of art discussed: Shimokawa and Gui
4. Identification of principal proposed amendments: None

5. Brief Identification of principal arguments: Applicant's representatives discussed that the data submitted was indicative of unexpected results. The Examiner indicated that if a heating temperature were added to the claims, that may overcome the cited art. Applicant's representatives also asserted that the recited lubricant was commensurate in scope with the claims.

6. Indication of other pertinent matters discussed: None

7. Results of Interview: The Examiner stated that he would consider the arguments of record and a supplemental filing, if one is filed.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

It is believed that no petition or fee is required. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Respectfully submitted,

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